

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No. : 10/522,890  
Applicant : Takami Sugioka  
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Commissioner for Patents  
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**AMENDMENT**

Dear Sir:

In reply to the Office Action mailed August 24, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendment to the Claims** begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.